डीलर का नाम	प्राप्त किए गए अंतरण वाउचरों की संख्या	जारी किए गए कनेक्शनों की संख्या
प्रगति फ्लेम	444	432
प्रिय इंटरप्राइजिज	127	119
समीर गैस एजेंसी	182	127

शेष मामलों में कनेक्यान जारी करने वाले वितरकों से या तो अभिपुष्टि की प्रतीक्षा है अथवा ग्राहक, जिन्हें कनेक्शन जारी किए जाने है, उपस्थित नहीं हुए है।

(ख) और (ग) सार्वजनिक क्षेत्र तेल कम्पनियों को समापन वाउचरों पर आधारित कनेक्शनों की अस्वीकार्यता/कनेक्शन जारी न किए जाने के संबंध में, संभावित ग्राहकों से कोई शिकायतें प्राप्त नहीं हुई हैं।

Cancellation of Petrol pumps/Gas Agencies in Sultanpur

4090. SHRI RAJNATH SINGH 'SURYA': Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that most of the petrol pumps, which were cancelled by an order of the Court, are still run by their original allottees and have not been auctioned, so far;

(b) if so, the reasons, therefor;

(c) how many such petrol pumps and gas agencies were cancelled in Sultanpur District of Uttar Pradesh and how many of them have been auctioned; and

(d) the latest position in this regard alongwith the reasons?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR): (a) and (b) Hon. Supreme Court of India vide its Order dated 25.9.96 in writ petition (C) No. 26/95 filed by Common Cause had cancelled 15 retail outlet dealerships and directed oil companies to stop operation of petrol pumps which were commissioned, by 31.10.1996 and thereafter take over the petrol pump premises from these persons within ten days. Similarly Hon. High Court of Delhi in its Order dated 29.8.97 in writ petition No. 4003/95 filed by Centre for Public Interest Litigation has cancelled 72 dealerships/ distributorships and directed oil companies to take over the dealerships/distributorships cancelled by them which were in operation, by 1.12.1997. Accordingly, none of the dealerships/distributorships cancelled by the Hon. Supreme Court on 25.9.96 and Hon. High Court of Delhi on 29.8.97 is being run by the original allottees. With regard to auction of dealerships/distributorships, oil companies have filed an application seeking clarification from the Hon. High Court of Delhi. The same is sub-judice.

(c) and (d) Five retail outlets and 2 LPG distributorships in Sultanpur Distt. (UP) have been cancelled. None of these dealerships/ distributorships has been auctioned. Further action will be taken as per direction of the Hon. High Court of Delhi. Some of the dealerships/ distributorships are being run on ad hoc basis as per permission granted by the Hon. High Court.

Allotment of Distributorship of Oil Companies

4091. SHRI RAJUBHAI A. PARMAR: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to refer to answer to Starred Question 154, given in the Rajya Sabha on 28th November, 1997, and state:

(a) whether it is a fact that process for allotment of the distributorship of Oil Companies in U.P. is still hotch-potch and not even a single allotment has been made, so far;

(b) if not, the names of those areas where allotment process has since been completed and the fate of Shambhal where allotment process has been lingering on for the last two and half years; and

(c) what will be the prescribed norms for such allotments?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR): (a) and (b) Selection of dealers/ distributors has not taken place on account of various factors such as announcement of General Elections and freezing of selection process due to Model Code of Conduct, revision in the Dealers Selection guidelines and non-functioning of the Oil Selection Boards. Distributorship for Shambhal has been readvertised for selection of dealer through the Dealer Selection Board.